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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

(INCLUDING FILING FEE AND/OR PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FEE)

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. §132, effective May 29, 2000 provides for continued examination of a utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995.

See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA)

Box RCE PO Box 145	ner for Patents 0 VA 22313-1450	Attorney Docket	No.:1095.1076				
First Named Inventor	Akira KAMAKURA						
Application No.	08/901,692	Group Art Unit	2164				
Filing Date	July 28, 1997	Examiner	H. Kazimi				
CPA Filing Date		Confirmation No	9430				
Title of Invention	A MARKETING SYSTEM AND METHOD PROCESSING MARKET INFORMATION OF CONSUMERS AND DEALERS VIA A NETWORK						
		(Box a or b must be comple	eted)				
(Any unente ii. ☐ Consider th iii. ☐ Other b. ☐ Enclosed i. ☐ Amendme ii. ☐ Affidavit(s iii. ☐ Informatio	ne amendment(s)/reply under 3 red amendment(s) referred to a e arguments in the Appeal Brie ent/Reply	37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed above will be entered). If or Reply Brief previously filed or	·				
2.							
Miscellaneous a. Suspension of months. Other	action on the above-identified a	application is requested under 37 t exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.	C.F.R. §103(c) for a period of R. §1.17(i) required).				
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		BAS	IC FEE	\$	790.00		
Since an Official Action set an original due date of December 13, 2004,							
petition is hereby made for an extension of time to cover the date this							
RCE is filed, for							
months (\$450));		570.00					
(\$2,160):							
Suspension Fee	\$	4000.00					
Total of above Calculations =					1360.00		
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 C.F.R. 1.9, 1.27, 1.28).					4000.00		
TOTAL FEES DUE =					1360.00		
4. Small entity status:							
a. Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status.							
b. A Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status was previously filed and such							
status is still proper and desired.							
c. is no longer claimed.							
5. Other:							
C. METHOD OF DAVMENT							
6. METHOD OF PAYMENT							
A check in the amount of \$\frac{\$1360.00}{}\$ is enclosed.							
Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to Deposit Account No. 19-3935. (A duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.)							
7. GENERAL AUTHORIZATION							
The Commis	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 (filing fees)						
or 37 C.F.R. 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application and of any related application(s) claiming benefit							
hereof pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §120 to maintain pendency hereof and of any such related application to: Deposit Account No. 19-3935.							
8. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS							
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9. SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OR AGENT REQUIRED							
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